

	2000		2024	
Total County Population	14,254		14,239	
County Child Population	3,754	26.3%	3,279	23.0%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	877	23.4%	836	25.5%
Ages 5-9	921	24.5%	786	24.0%
Ages 10-14	979	26.1%	830	25.3%
Ages 15-19	977	26.0%	827	25.2%

	2000		2024	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	2,872	76.5%	2,412	73.6%
African-American	760	20.2%	494	15.1%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	11	0.3%	12	0.4%
Asian/Pacific Islander	3	0.1%	7	0.2%
More than One Race	43	1.1%	179	5.5%
Hispanic	63	1.7%	175	5.3%



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	2000	2024
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	170	165
Age 4	169	187

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NOTE: The colored cells for "ALL OTHER" represent the heading of "BLACK AND ALL OTHER" for this indicator.

	YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	WHITE		BLACK		ALL OTHER		HISPANIC		RANKING YEAR	RANKING	TRENDING YEAR	TRENDING	
				Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate					
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2013	1	6.6	1	8.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2023	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	1	2013-2023	I
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2013	25	16.4%	22	18.5%	3	12.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2023	12	8.1%	8	6.3%	3	25.0%	0	0.0%	1	9.1%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2013	21	13.8%	15	12.6%	5	20.0%	1	33.3%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2023	7	4.7%	4	3.2%	2	16.7%	0	0.0%	1	9.1%	2021-2023	25	2013-2023	_
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	5	19.1	3	13.2	1	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0				
	Current	2023	1	4.5	0	0.0	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	48	2013-2023	_
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	18	21.8	12	18.9	4	30.8	0	0.0	2	66.7				
	Current	2023	10	12.4	8	14.4	1	9.5	0	0.0	1	23.3	2021-2023	42	2013-2023	_
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2013	14	9.2%	9	7.6%	4	16.0%	0	0.0%	1	20.0%				
	Current	2023	8	5.4%	6	4.8%	1	8.3%	0	0.0%	1	9.1%	2021-2023	29	2013-2023	_
Females Receiving Adequate/Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2013	124	81.6%	101	84.9%	19	76.0%	3	100.0%	1	20.0%				
	Current	2023	105	71.9%	94	75.2%	7	63.6%	0	0.0%	4	40.0%	2021-2023	46	2013-2023	W
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2023	90	60.4%	80	63.5%	3	25.0%	0	0.0%	7	63.6%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2023	10	5.5%	8	4.9%			1	6.0%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2013	57	425.2	51	474.2	6	312.5	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2023	58	411.0	49	433.9	8	420.8	0	0.0	1	206.6	2023	29		

Children Without Health Insurance	2019-2023	Adult Diabetes: 2021	Adult Obesity: 2022	Poor Mental Health Days: 2022	Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers: 2024	Rate		
Number	0	Rate	8.2%	Rate	39.6%	Number	6.4	4704:1
Rate	0.0%	Trend	7	Trend	26	Trend	43	Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2024
						Number		112

		YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	POVERTY	ABOVE POVERTY	WHITE*	BLACK*	HISPANIC*	ASIAN*	AMERICAN INDIAN*	NATIVE HAWAIIAN*	TWO/MORE RACES*	RANKING YEAR	RANKING
Births to Females with Less Than 12 Years of Education	Base	2013	39	25.7%			24.4%	28.0%	40.0%				33.3%		
	Current	2023	19	12.8%			12.0%	16.7%	18.2%				0.0%	2023	35
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2014	13												
	Current	2024	17												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.0%											
	Current	2024-2025		10.2%	10.8%	9.7%	12.5%	8.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	61
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		68.3%	62.3%	77.5%	35.3%	30.0%	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	35.7%	2024-2025	13
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		55.4%	44.3%	72.5%	28.8%	20.0%	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	28.6%	2024-2025	4
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		44.5%	33.3%	60.4%	31.5%	16.7%	22.2%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	36.8%	2024-2025	47
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		13.3%	6.7%	22.6%	9.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	15.8%	2024-2025	48
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		5.8%											
	Current	2024-2025		3.4%	9.3%	1.0%	1.9%	13.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	49
Graduation Rate****	Base	2023-2024		87.8%	84.1%	95.3%	87.6%	85.2%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%		
	Current	2024-2025		87.6%	82.6%	94.2%	90.1%	75.0%	90.9%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2024-2025	57
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		4.5%											
	Current	2024-2025		6.6%	8.7%	3.8%	6.2%	8.3%	9.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	58
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		10.2%			7.3%	21.6%	13.3%	0.0%	33.3%	0.0%	9.8%		
Expulsions	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		0.0%			0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		26.5%	29.4%	21.6%	27.6%	22.9%	22.4%	20.0%	33.3%	0.0%	28.2%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		11.7%	15.6%	5.2%	11.6%	11.3%	9.3%	10.0%	33.3%	0.0%	16.2%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***		0.6%	0.3%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%	11.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2024-2025***		2.7%	3.2%	1.8%	0.1%	0.0%	36.4%	50.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Homeless Students	Base	2022-2023		1.2%	1.8%	0.0%	0.8%	3.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%		
	Current	2024-2025		0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.9%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		8.3%											
	Current	2024-2025		17.2%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		62.8%			55.0%	85.3%	78.5%						

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					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		19.1%												
	Current	2019-2023		22.0%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		27.4%												
	Current	2019-2023		22.7%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	316	9.4%												
	Current	2019-2023	264	9.3%									2019-2023	22		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2013		10.4%												
	Current	2023		7.3%									2021-2023	22	2013-2023	-
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	737	24.2%												
	Current	2019-2023	659	22.5%									2023	12		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	496	64.8%												
	Current	2019-2023	413	56.1%									2019-2023	53		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2025	38	\$19,413												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2013	461	8.5%												
	Current	2024	178	3.0%									2024	21		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2013*	\$43,613													
	Current	2023	\$52,077													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2013	102	67.5%	72	61.0%	22	88.0%	3	100.0%	5	100.0%				
	Current	2023	83	55.7%	67	53.2%	9	75.0%	0	0.0%	7	63.6%	2023	48		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	2,720	19.4%												
	Current	2023	2,550	18.0%									2023	30		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	850	27.7%												
	Current	2023	630	21.6%									2023	27		

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	
Base Year: 2023	Current Year: 2024
429	429

SNAP Eligible, All Ages	
Base Year: 2020***	Current Year: 2025***
1,304	1,692

SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	
Base Year: 2020	Current Year: 2025
670	894

SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2020	Current Year: 2025**
1,316	1,709

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